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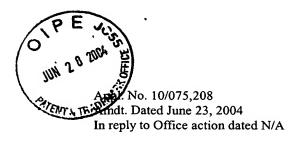
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METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING LOCATION INFORMATION

ON A DIGITAL MAP, APPARATUS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD, AND TRAFFIC INFORMATION PROVISION/RECEPTION

SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT "D"

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner. \$1,566.00 is enclosed to cover the fees resulting from 5 additional independent claims (\$430.00), 47 additional claims in excess of 20 (\$846.00) and the multiple dependent claim fee (\$290.00).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.